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WAITE IS FOR WAR

The Governor to Attend the Chicago Convention.

WILL STAND BY HIS SILVER GUN,

And Likely Create Another Sensation at the Windy City-Butler Greenbackers Indorsing His Denver Speech-Blauton Duncan Says Free Silver Controls Congress and Has a Little List-Henry Clews' Advice to Comptroller Eckels.

DENVER, July 17 .- "I have decided to go to the silver meeting in Chicago to show those gold bugs that there are delegates from Colorado whom they can not monkey with," said Governor Waite. "Dave Moffat says the people of the state do not indorse me and my sentiments as uttered in my speech the other day. There is my speech and I offer it as my reply; I don't pretend to speak for the bankers. If they can find anything encouraging to Colorado in the pre-ent condition they are welcome to it. I have not one particle of confidence in the bankers anyway: they are not in favor of silver on the old ratio

Both Parties Afraid of the Populists.

"Of course the national bank interests are against us. What do they care if the mining towns are ruined and thousands are driven from their homes to starve or suffer until they can find work somewhere clse? Those eastern people are afraid their old parties are in danger. Both the parties are afraid of the Populists. That is why they set up this cry of treason. I can tell them who the traitors to American liberties are. They are the two old parties, both of them controlled by Wall street.
Walte Receiving Indorsements.

A man who signs himself "One of General Butler's Greenbackers" writes from Boston to Governor Waite, indorsing his speech. His mail daily contains letters from all over the Union indorsing hi sentiment. One prominent banker said he favors a ratio of twenty to one and the coinage of the American product only. Business firms are doing everything to tide over the crisis. The hotel failures were due to an attempt to do too great a business on too little capital. Inflated values and the use of credit is the general cause of western failures now.

BLANTON DUNCAN'S REMARKS.

He Believes the Silver Men Will Control Congressional Action.

New York, July 17.-Colonel Bianton Duncan, who, though still a citizen of Kentucky, has for six or seven years spent much time in California, is throwing himself with all his energy into the fight in favor of sliver. A reporter found him and Senator Jones, of Nevada, at the New York club. Colonel Duncan, when asked about the outlook for silver, expressed the fullest confidence that the silver men and the Democrats in the senate would control entirely all action upon the financial ques-

"The senate," he went on, "has already forty-five pronounced advocate of the repeal of the Sherman law only with conditions of relief. This includes Senator Chandler, and the senator from California will make forty-six. The list is as follows, several senators not being in it who are expected to bring the total to fifty-one: Allen of Nebraska, Bate, Beckwith, Berry, Black-bur, Caffery, Call, Car, Chandler Cock-ref, Coke, Daniel, Dubois, George, Gordon, Harris, Hansbrough, Hill, Hunton, Irby, Jones of Alabama, Jones of Nevada, Kyle, Lindsay, Manton, Mitchell of Ore-gon, Morgan, Pasco, Peffer, Pettigrew, Power, Pugh, Quay, Roach, Shoup, Stew-art, Teller, Turpie, Vauce, Voorhees, Vest, Waltham, White of California, Welcott.

"The silver men do not propose to de-mand action only in regard to silver, but to join hands with Democrats who will insist upon obedience to the mandate of the Chicago platform. Whether the relief may come from free coinage or the issue of gteenbacks, or both, it will be perfectly satisfactory to them. The repeal of the tax on state banks can be made of great benefit, after proper safeguards have been enacted to prevent any instability, and making them as safe as national banks."

HENRY CLEWS GIVES ADVICE.

the National Banks.

He Writes a Letter to Eckels Regarding

Washington, July 17. - Comptroller Eckels has received the following letter from Henry Clews, the well-known banker, dated New York, July 14.

"DEAR SIR: The national bank act cer-tainly should be amended to provide for notes being issued up to the par value of United States bonds, and another amendment would also be, wise to provide for an issue of notes against the surplus capital of the national banks to the extent of 75 per cent. thereof. These two changes in the law would make an increase in the national currency amounting to about \$150,-000,000, and would provide the nation with enough money for its needs, and it would be the best and most legitimate kind be.

"The New York banks now have a sur-plus over capital of \$70,000,000. The national banks of other cities and elsewhere have probably \$100,000,000 in addition. This backing in cash or its equivalent to the notes issued against the same would make them the strongest and most legitimate character of money in circulation. stronger kind of money could be devised. The surplus against which the issue of these notes would be made would be under the national bank examiners The constant increase in the surplus of the banks would also give an elastic character to such money, which is a very desirable feature."

BUFFALO, N. Y., July 17, - Rev. Chary A. Adams, formerly rector of St. Paur's Episcopal church, this city, and later of the Church of the Redeemer, New York, has joined the Roman Catholic church. COMET DEVELOPS A TAIL,

And People Think the Aurora Borealis

Has Opened Up. WASHINGTON, July 17.-At 10:30 p. m. Saturday the comet which is now the object of so much search and speculation suddenly developed an enormous tail, which to the unpracticed eye was taken to be a display of the aurora borealis. At that hour Professor Frisby, of the naval observatory, was studying the comet through the nine-inch glass. He noticed a long streak of greenish-white light shoot out from the comet and extend itself al-most to the zenith. At first, the nucleus of the comet being at that moment hidden by a fleecy cloud, it was thought that the aurora borea is had sent out an advance notice of a brilliant engagement, but as there was no flickering, and as the light came stendily from where the comet had last been seen the professor concluded that he was seeing a comet in process of devel

The tail of the comet was thirty degrees in length, a distance about sixty times as long as the moon is wide, and extended from ten degrees above the horizon almos to the zenith. It was plainly visible to the naked eye, and was watched for some time by the corps of observers at the institution. Professor Frisby said: "There is no way to explain the sudden freak of the comet. They are erratic bodies at best and the only thing to say is that this one had reached a stage where it was ready to throw out the long streak of luminous gas which we call a tail. It was not a bushy tail, but was a long ribbon of light about three times as wide as the moon.'

"When Doctors Differ," Etc.

GENEVA, N. Y., July 17.-Prof. Brooks has reported the observation of a display of the aurora here Saturday night, the most magnificent feature of which was a beam of light of great brilliancy reaching from the western horizon up past the zenith towards the eastern sky. It resembled in form and brightness a great comet for which if was mistaken by mar. persons. The real comet, he said, was considerably to the north of this.

WAS ALLEN BUTLER LYNCHED! A Question That Is Interesting the People of an Illinois County,

VINCENNES, Ind., July 17.-Lawrence county. Hi, is still excited over the death of Allen Butler, who at first was supposed to have been lynched. It is now believed to be a case of saicide and that Butler was led to self-destruction by remorse over the deed with which he was charged. Allen Butler was one of the most prominent, and heretofore respected colored citizens of Lawrence county. He and his son William were arrested for procuring an operation upon the person of Ida Elkins, a young white girl not yet 15 years old.

The time for preliminary examination was set, but the old man, who has for twenty-five years been looked upon as a model man in whom everybody had confindence, could not face the law, and about daylight went out near his barn and taking some bin ling twine made a rope, throwing one end over a limb of a cottonwood tree and hanged himself. The Elkins girl had been I ving in his family for three years. Butler confessed to S. C. Lewis, an attorney, that he was guilty as charged; also that he had been having intercourse

with the girl for a year past.

There is still a feeling, however, in Lawrence county that Allen Butler was lynched after a confession had been forced from him by the mob. Many disbelieve the suicide story, and declare that it was simply starten me. ... the disgrace of a lynching. Butler was a farmer, a doctor a preacher, and was very wealthy.

THE YOUNG BAPTISTS ADJOURN.

They Resolve on the Questions of Temper unce and Sunday.

Indianapolis, July 17.—The convention of Baptist young people put in the time in discussion of n issionary topics and a symposium upon the lesser federations of the union. Thirty state and provincial railies were held in various parts of the city where matters pertaining to the state federations were discussed. The board of managers announced that Toronto had been chosen as the place for next year's convention. The board also announced that it had chosen Rev. F. L. Wilkins to succeed himself as general secretary.

The convention has adjourned, the finn' meetings being an afternoon gathering and a night session. A resolution was adopted declaring that the saloons are an aggregation of the most stupendous enemies to civil and religious liberty, the Christian "Sabbath," and our republican institutions, and that the only remedy was entire annihilation of the traffic.

Another resolution expressed profound gratitude to God and recognized His over ruling hand in closing the World's fair on Sunday. The attempt at open gates had been met by the strong protest of the American conscience. The privilege of secularizing Sunday had been offered the people and they had scorned it and the result was hailed as a declaration of unfaltering purpose to preserve the "Ameri-

Gov. Jones to Uncle Sam.

WASHINGTON, July 17.-Governor Jones, of the Choctaw nation, has written a letter to the interior department regarding the request of the rational government that the execution of nine men for murder in the nation be postponed in order that the United States may see if everything is right. The letter is a gentle hint that it is none of the busin as of the United States, as the nation is entitled to home rule by treaty, but to show Uncle Sam that he is interfering where he has no business, and unnecessarily so, and in the hope that Uncle Sam will be reafter attend to his own business, the executions have been post-poned until Aug. 4.

The southern strawberry crop is going to be very large this year, Louisiana experts say. The first crates of berries have already been sold. The acreage in strawberries in Louisiana this year is almost double that of 1892.

DEATH AT A PICNIC

A Pyrotechnic Bomb Explodes, Killing Two Men.

HALF OF ONE'S HEAD BLOWN OFF

Three Other Men Seriously Wounded-An Italian Picnic the Scene of the Disaster and Many Carry Away Reminders of the Occasion-Probably a Fatal Mishap to a Feminine Snake-Charmer-Bitten on the Head by a Rattler.

CHICAGO, July 17 .- The premature explosion of a fireworks bomb at an Italian picnic in progress at Fifty-ninth street and Ashland avenue killed two persons and seriously wounded three. The dead are: Richard Marshal and Michael Snow. The seriously injured are Andrew Jouino, Antone Nasho and Tony Ladout. The bomb that caused the disaster was one that is fired from an extemporized mortar. It is intended to be exploded high in the air and to be accompanied by a shower of brilliant fire.

Scattered Wounds All Around. Just as the charge was about to be fired there was a premature explosion. The liquid fire and burning explosives, together with the pieces of the mortar containing the bomb, were hurled with cannon-like effect in every direction. No lights were at first to be had and the dead and wounded lay together beneath the feet of those who were able to escape. Quite a number were hurt more or less severely, but the above are the only cases that were seriously injured, and they were in charge of the display.

Part of Snow's Head Blown Off. In the darkness and amid the cries of the injured and the rumors that scores had been blown to pieces by the bursting mortar the scene was most pitiful, and even the strongest and most courageous only thought of flight. For a time the cries of the injured and wounded were almost unthought of, and their despairing appeals for help only added to the fright. Snow and Marshall, who were instantly killed, were horribly mangled by the flying iron missiles. The former had the upper portion of his head completely blown off, and the latter was cut and torn almost beyond recognition

BITTEN BY A RATTLESNAKE.

A Pretty Snake Charmer Who Will Probably Die of the Wound.

NEW YORK, July 17 .- Dot Sonwell, the pretty snake charmer who has lately been performing at Huber's museum on East Fourteenth street, will probable die from the bite of a five-foot rattlesnake, which she received on the stage of that place of amusement. The woman was bitten on the head behind the left ear and the poison which the venomous reptile instilled into her system had so speedy an effect that her life was despaired of within two hours, although every effort was made to destroy its effect. At St. Vincent's hospital, whither she was taken, the doctors

pronounced the case almost hopeless.

About three weeks ago Mrs. Sonwell, who is but 22 years old, was bitten on the arm by one of the snakes which she was handling before the audience, but by the prompt use of whisky and bandages her life was saved, and it was at her first appearance since this experience that she received this second wound. She had been out of the hospital for only a few days, and looked pale and weak. Fifteen minutes before the time for her to go on she took her box of reptiles out. Among them were three diamond-back rattlers that had just been sent to her from Florida. She saw them then for the first time, and proceeded to pick them up. One of them, a big five-foot specimen, she held aloft.

As she held the snake above her the reptile suddenly turned its head toward her. In an instant she dropped it in the box and appeared dazed. She had been bitten, the snake having struck her behind the left ear with its fangs. Superintendent Jansen saw what had happened in a moment and at Gallipolis. ran to her aid. One of the actors connected with the museum tried to suck the blood from the wound, but could not get at the wound, which was under the bair. In her previous experience two Bolivian Indians had drawn out the venem with their mouths. Whisky was administered to her in large quantities, but the poison worked rapidly and she fell twice in a swoon. A carriage was called and she was sent to her home, 75 Washington square, South.

There Dr. G. M. Baker, 143 West Fourth street, was summoned. He could do but little for her, for her head, face, and neck began to swell. She was then taken to the hospital. At that time she was crazy with delirium, and she soon became insensible. The doctors thought she would die from the effects of the poison. Her head, face and neck were swollen to a great ex-tent, even her eyes being closed. Mrs. Sonwell, whose maiden name was Marguerite Smith, was married several years ago to John Sonwell, also a snake charmer. She has four children, the eldest being four

And This In Illinois.

CARLYLE, Ill., July 17.-At Sandoval, thirteen miles east of here, owing to the scarcity of labor, two strange negroes were engaged by some carpenters to help finish a house. Negroes are not allowed to live in that place, consequently a party of seventy-five waited upon them, threatening to lynch them if they did not move at once. Things were finally compromised, the men agreeing to leave town as soon as the building is finished.

Father and Son Sink Together.

DETROIT, July 17 .- A drowning accident occurred at the north end of Belle Isle which resulted in the death of John Vick, aged 40, and his son Walter, aged 20. Young Vick got beyond his depth, and being unable to swim had gone down twice when his father plunged in to rescue him. The latter reached him just as he was go ing down again, but the boy clasped his father around the arms, rendering him helpless and both were drowned.

Gave Him an Ideal Outing. GUTHRIE, O. T., July 17 .- Conductor Al Glazier, of the Santa Fe, whose coolness and presence of mind prevented the Santa Fe express train from being robbed several weeks ago, has been granted a ten-days' lay-off and all expenses paid at the World's fair during that time as a reward for his

Old Drury Lane to Be Demolished.

LONDON, July 17 .- The Duke of Bedford has refused to renew the lease of the Drury Lane theater. Therefore, after an existence of 266 years, the theater will be deSETTLED A BASE BALL EVENT.

Yale Wins the Intercollegiate Series and a Silver Cup.

CRICAGO, July 17 .- Yale is the champion in the intercollegiate base ball tournament and sports a handsome silver cup offered by Spalding to the winner as a trophy. The cup was presented to the clubet the south side ball park by Mayor Harrison, who felicitated himself on being a Yale man. Then he surprised Captain Bowers bp presenting him a handsome gold watch, a gift from the team. The last game of the series was between Amherst and Yale, the latter winning 9 to 0, the nine runs all being made in the sixth inning.

In the League there has been an improve ment that has put a silver lining on the crowd of woe bearing so heavily on the Chicago crank. The colts actually took three games in succession last week, and added another yesterday, which is remarkable for them. The colts now tie New York for eighth place, having climbed to ninth during the week. Philadelphia now leads with Boston only 10 points behind and Pittsburg not a very good third. The positions of the clubs are as foll ws:

Game	8		1 Per
	d. Won.	Lost.	Cent.
Philadelphia	42	93	.656
Boston 67	42	23	.646
Pittsburg66	38	28	.576
Cleveland 64	33	20	.550
Brooklyn64	555	29	.547
Cincinnati	32	34	.485
St Louis 15	20	35	.461
New York	20	226	446
Chicago	129	36	.446
Baltimore	27	36	.420
Washington66	26	40	.394
Louisville54	18	393	.3333

Following are League scores: At Cincinnati-Boston 7, Cincinnati 4: at Pittsburg -Washington 0, Pittsburg 19; at Cleveland-New York 7, Cleveland 3; at St. Louis-Brocklyn 3, St. Louis 8; at Chicago -Baltimore 1, Chicago 9; at Louisville-Philadelphia 6, Louisville 5. (Sunday) At Cincinnati-Louisville 3, Cincinnati 5; at Chicago-St. Louis 4, Chicago 9.

A PROSERIE EXHIBITION STATERS. Washington, July 17 .- A violation of the United States revenue laws by a Russian exhibitor at the World's fair has re sulted rather badiy for the exhibitor, and had not the trensury department tempered its justice with mercy the matter would probably have ended even more seriously. The exhibitor in question, J. S. Levitte, sold some jewelry in his display that had been admitted duty free for exhibition purposes only. His exhibit was selzed, and would have been confiscated but he made a proposal (that was accepted) to the collector to pay \$350 as a fine and all costs connected with the custody of the exhibits. together with the payment of regular duties on his entire display, excepting a few articles to be designated by the collector to remain on exhibition,

Successful Skin Crafting. NEWCASTLE, Pa., July 17 .- Five months age Jennie Peak's dress caught fire and before the flames could be quenched her legs were burned almost to a crisp. From the knees to the waist there was not a particle of skin and the flesh were fairly cooked The physicians have made over 300 skin grafts, 230 of which came from her father's The little sufferer is remarkable patient, and seldom complains. Recently a number of grafts were taken from th mother's arm, but the rext that will be used will be taken from the father,

Lawn Tennis Tournament.

Chicago, July 17.-The national lawn tennis tournament at Evanston has closed, Chase again won the championship in singles. The McCormick Brothers deeased White and Waldner for the chammiship in doubles The tournament was

One Fare for the Round Trip.

CHICAGO. July17.-The Buckeye route has begun quoting rates of one fare for the round trip to Chicago from every point on its lines. This route consists of the Erie lines, extending from Chicago to Marion, O. and the Columbus, Hocking Valley and Tole-do, extending from Toledo through central Ohio, via Columbus, to the Ohio river

Found the Responsible Man. NEWBURG, N. Y., July 17 .- The coroner's

jury in the West Shore disaster has rendered a verdict finding that the cause of the accident was an open switch, left open through the carelessness or neglect of Michael Donahue, who had charge of the switch. The jury also censures the officers of the New York Central and Hudson River railway.

Public Dinners Are Too Serious.

Dinners are much too serious, particularly for the speakers. In Boston, in the week ending March 18, two men dropped dead at public dinners. One of the feasts thus visited was a Tammany club dinner on St. Patrick's day, and the fatal visitation did not come until 4 o'clock in the morning. That case may have been simply one of exhausted nature, but about the other there was something almost suggestive of a judgment, for it happened at the annual supper of a Women's Christian Temperance union, and the brother who fell was a Presbyterian clergyman who had just arisen to respond to the toast, "The Temperance Outlook,"—Harper's

Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes is trying by a most methodical mode of life to see how much he can prolong his ripening years. Among other things, he never rises in the morning until the temperature of his room is at just the right heat,



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